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APPLICANT : COCCIA, STEFANO  
Ser. No. : 09/910,809  
Filed : July 24, 2001  
For : Protective element particularly for cycling shorts  
Group A. U. : 3765  
Examiner : HOEY, ALISSA L

Assistant Commissioner for Patents – Mail Stop RCE  
Washington D.C. 20231 U.S.A.

Dear Sirs,

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136**

The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the final Office action dated July 7, 2005 for three months from October 7, 2005 to January 7, 2006. Please charge the deposit account number 13-3860 of applicant's agent of record, in the amount of US\$ 510.00 (fee code 2253) to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account.

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the final Office Action dated July 7, 2005, Applicant hereby submits the following Amendment for entry in the above-identified application.

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